

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Construction of Anecuts in Ramdurg Taluk under Minor Irrigation Scheme.

*Q.—89. Sri KANTHA RAO DESAI (Kushtagi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether there is any proposal to construct anecuts on the hallas, one at Aneguddi-Grama and another on Umataru Halla in Ramdurga Taluk, Belgaum District, under the Minor Irrigation Scheme;

(b) if so, the stage at which the proposal is pending;

(c) when the work would be commenced?

A.— Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Minister for Public Works).—

(a) No.

(b) and (c) Do not arise in view of reply to clause (a).

Forests belonging to the Inamdars of Rampura, Magalur, Mallapura and Bannur villages in Belgaum District.

*Q.—148. Sri KANTHA RAO DESAI (Kushtagi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of forests belonging to the Inamdars of Rampura, Maganur, Mallapura and Bannur villages in Belgaum District together with their acreage and survey numbers;

(b) whether they are aware that poor people of the adjoining villages and towns who go to the forests of above inamdars for gathering fuel and for grazing their cattle are not being allowed by those inamdars;

(c) whether they intend to take over these forests from the inamdars with a view to help the poor people from such hardships?

A.—Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) There are no forest lands in Rampura, Maganur, Mallapura and

Bannur villages of Ramdurg Taluk of Belgaum District belonging to the inamdars. The inamdars of Rampura, Maganur and Mallapur however hold lands as shown below in which there are only shrubs and bushes:—

Name of village	Survey No.	Acre
Rampura	... 28/1	618—03
Maganur	... 34	559—31
	9	386—38
	35	343—15
	36	462—10
		1552—14
Mallapur	... 91	1001—16
	Grand total	3171—33

(b) No complaints have been received so far either in the Tahsildar's office, Ramdurga, or the Deputy Commissioner's office, Belgaum, about the inamdars not allowing the people to go to these lands for gathering fuel or for grazing cattle.

(c) The question does not arise as no reports have been received about any hardship caused.

Workers in the Electro-Metallurgical Works at Dandeli, who are affected by a disease which renders them incapable of walking.

*Q.—189. Sri B. P. KADAM (Karwar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether it is a fact that for some years now several workers in the Electro-metallurgical works at Dandeli have been subject to a disease which renders them incapable of walking, and what are the first symptoms of the disease;

(b) the total number of people effected by the above disease during each year from the beginning;

(c) the steps taken by them to give medical aid to the sick persons and to what effect;